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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 3745  
PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Kazunori YOSHINO	)	Group Art Unit: 3745
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Application No.: 10/029,290	)	Examiner: Frank D. Lopez
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Filed: December 28, 2001	)	Confirmation No.: 3082
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For: HYDRAULIC CONTROL SYSTEM	)	
FOR REDUCING MOTOR	)	
CAVITATION	)	

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

In reply to the final Office Action mailed February 23, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the present application and withdraw the claim rejections for the reasons explained in detail below.

**I. Rejection of Claims 1, 4, 15, and 16 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a)**

In the final Office Action, claims 1, 4, 15, and 16 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) based on Yoshimatsu (U.S. Patent No. 5,063,742) (hereinafter "Yoshimatsu '742") in combination with Krusche (U.S. Patent No. 4,665,699) and Yoshimatsu (U.S. Patent No. 5,062,266) (hereinafter "Yoshimatsu '266"). Claims 1